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Woodlawn Farmers' Club.

[Reported for the ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE.]

The June meeting of the Woodlawn Farmers' Club was held at Bayview, the residence of Alfred H. Roberts, on the 23rd inst. President Pierson in the chair.

The day was very hot, with the thermometer near 100 in the shade, so the chief business seemed to be "trying to keep cool," which effect was greatly facilitated by the assistance of a canopy of clouds vouchsafed in the afternoon.

When the tardy arrival of members, many of whom were detained by the wheat harvest in progress, finally furnished a quorum, the minutes of the last meeting were read, and thereupon one of our Solons criticized the word "exhaustive" as applied by the secretary to the essay of William Hunter, Jr.

He thought the subject had not been exhausted by any means. The secretary told him there was a difference between exhaustive and exhausted, and appealed to the club; so there was a difference of opinion about it, and it being too warm to become involved in any heated discussion we passed on to more important matters.

The member in question being one of the committee on fertilizers, we will charitably suppose that modesty had something to do with it.

J. N. Gibbs then read the critical report which spoke of finding things generally in good order. The grass fields are much clearer of weeds than many in the neighborhood—oats and corn both looking well for the season. The improvements about the house, especially three new porches, were alluded to in commendation and an increase in the size of the lawn was recommended.

The stock were all in good condition, mostly fat. Some fine brood mares were alluded to but the absence of young colts was noted. The sheep had recently been sold at a fair profit. Some one inquired about the difference in the size of the corn—one part of the field being larger than the other. No reason could be assigned except the difference of two or three days in the time of planting.

The subject of garlic coming up, a recent remedy for its extinction mentioned in the American Farmer was alluded to—cutting it just after it came in blossom—but this was thought by most members to be a mistake.

President Pierson thought covering with straw and burning would destroy it, but instances were mentioned where it had come in and made an exceptionally thrifty growth right where brush heaps had been burned.

The committee on live stock were called on for a report, but the chairman being absent the other members sheltered themselves behind his absence and the hot weather. He came later in the evening and was approached on the subject, when he said he thought he had his subordinate "fixed" for the occasion, so the only recourse left was to continue them for duty at the next meeting, and the committee on grasses and forage crops were also requested to report.

The President asked what the prospect was for a crop of wheat, the replies being mostly quite favorable, considering the bad appearance of many fields early in the spring. Some few instances of blasted heads were mentioned similar to the reports that have come in from the interior.

The next meeting will be at "Gray's Hill," the residence of Morris R. Wilkinson, on the 21st of July. Critical committee, Walter Walton, Charles T. Lukens, and Lewis Gillingham.

W. GILLINGHAM, Sec.

A BANK CLERK'S PUNISHMENT.—A new method of punishing dishonest bank clerks is now being tried in a certain institution of that kind in New York. Some time ago a clerk's accounts were investigated and he was found to be several thousand dollars short. To remove and prosecute the man would have been troublesome and apt to hurt the reputation of the bank, so they have made him stay, as if nothing had happened, but have placed him in such a position that he can take no more, and informed his fellow clerks of the defalcation. He is avoided by the insiders, and his position is about as disagreeable as can well be imagined. Constantly under surveillance he will work out in time the amount he has taken, and will then be discharged.—Philadelphia Times.

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All goods not sold by the 25th will be offered at public auction on that day, at 10 o'clock a. m. the sale to continue from day to day till all are disposed of.

The above sale is postponed to WEDNESDAY, the 27th inst., at the same hour.

W. H. SMITH, Adm'r.

By Green & Wise, Auctioneers.

PURSUANT TO THE DECREE OF THE Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, rendered on the 15th day of October, 1880, in the chancery cause of W. W. Harper, adm'r. vs. A. Jamieson and als., the undersigned commissioner therein named will offer for sale at public auction, on THURSDAY, the 26th day of July, 1888, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Fairfax street entrance to the Corporation Court room in said city, the following property, viz:

ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND situated at the southeast intersection of Queen and Alfred streets in said city, fronting on Queen street 16 feet 8 inches, more or less, and extending back with that width, binding on Alfred street 100 feet to an alley, together with all appurtenances, and the BUILDINGS and IMPROVEMENTS thereon.

Terms of sale: One-fourth of the purchase money to be paid in cash at the time of sale, and the residue in 9, 12, and 18 months, the deferred installments to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser with good personal security, carrying interest from the day of sale, and the title to be retained until they are paid.

GEORGE A. MUSHBACH, Commissioner of Sale.

I, John S. Beach, Clerk of the Alexandria Corporation Court, do certify that G. A. Mushbach has executed the bond, with surety, required by the above mentioned decree.

JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk.

By R. T. Lucas, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST executed by Eliza Swansbury, bearing date on the 17th day of January, 1884, and recorded in deed book No. 13, folio 405, of the land records of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, and at the request of the holder of the note secured thereby, the undersigned, trustee therein named, will offer for sale at public auction, on TUESDAY, July 17th, 1888, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market building, the property conveyed in said deed of trust, to wit:

A TENEMENT AND LOT OF GROUND in the said city of Alexandria, described as follows: Beginning on the north side of Cameron street at its intersection with the west side of Patrick street, and running west with Cameron street 42 feet; then north parallel with Patrick street 72 feet 6 inches; then east parallel with Cameron street to Patrick street; then south with Patrick street to the beginning.

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